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for performing a stable
hash-based mapping
computation in constant time
over a dynamically varying
target set of computational
resources

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The following remarks are offered in response to the Office
Action mailed 03/11/2004; a petition for an extension of time is
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